ITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Arlin R. Davis et al. STEM AND METHOD FOR COMMUNICATIONS MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL ER AN UNRELIABLE COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK 84.972US1 Serial No.: 09/749.384 December 28, 2000 Due Date: October 4, 2004 David R. Lazaro Examiner: Group Art Unit: 2155 RECEIVED Mail Stop Amendment OCT 1 4 2004 Commissioner for Patents **Technology Center 2100** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 We are transmitting herewith the following attached items (as indicated with an "X"): A return postcard. Amendment and Response Under 37 CFR 1.111 (19 Pages). Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg.) Authorization to charge Deposit Account 19-0743 in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the Extension of Time Fee. An Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs.), Form 1449 (1 pg.), and copies of 1 cited document. X Authorization to charge Deposit Account 19-0743 in the amount of \$180.00 to cover the fee for consideration of Information Disclosure Statement under 97(c). If not provided for in a separate paper filed herewith, Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for sufficient number of months to enter these papers and please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743. SCHWEGMAN, LUNDBERG, WOESSNER & KLUTH, P.A. Customer Number 21186 Atty: Charles E. Steffey Reg. No. 25,179

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